

(Place District or Agency Name here)

**APPLICATION for FREE and REDUCED-PRICE MEALS or FREE MILK for 2002-2003**

Please complete, sign, and return this application to the school. For additional instructions refer to the Letter to Households attached to this form.

**SECTION A.**

**Households receiving Food Stamps, CalWORKs, KinGAP, and/or FDPIR benefits:**

1. List your children that receive the above mentioned benefits and their case number(s):

Last Name	First Name	School/Grade	Case Number
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2. If you do **not** receive Food Stamp, CalWORKs, KinGAP, or FDPIR benefits for **each** child in your household, go to Section B. **Otherwise, sign the application in SECTION C.**

**Foster Child** - In some cases, foster children are eligible for free or reduced-price meals or free milk regardless of the household's income. If you have foster children living with you and you wish to apply for such meals or milk for them, please contact your school's food administrator.

**SECTION B.**

**Households NOT receiving Food Stamps, CalWORKs, KinGAP, or FDPIR:**

1. Is this application for a Foster Child? YES ☐ NO ☐ If Yes, write the child's name and personal income, then date and sign the application.  
Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_
2. List the names of the school children in your household who **do not** receive Food Stamps, CalWORKs, KinGAP, or FDPIR benefits.

Last Name	First Name	School/Grade	Income
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3. List the names of other children in the household that are **not** in school:

Last Name	First Name	Last Name	First Name

**SECTION C. Adult Household Members:** List all adult household members, whether or not they have income. Indicate the amount and the source of **monthly income** that **each** household member received last month. If any amount last month was more or less than usual, enter the usual monthly income. Do not complete this section if a Food Stamp, CalWORKs, KinGAP, or FDPIR case number is provided for each child listed in Section A.

Last Name	First Name	Gross Earnings from work (before deductions) include all jobs	Pension, Retirement, Social Security	Welfare Benefits, Child Support, Alimony Payments	Any Other Monthly Income	FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY Total Monthly Income
1. _____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
2. _____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
3. _____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
4. _____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
5. _____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

<b>FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY</b> - Eligibility Determination: Temp. Free Until _____		
Food Stamp / CalWORKs / KinGAP / FDPIR # _____		
HOUSEHOLD SIZE _____	HOUSEHOLD INCOME _____	
Free Meals _____	Reduced Price Meals _____	Denied _____
YR. Track _____	Determining Official _____	Date _____

**California Education Code Section 49557(a)** Applications for free and reduced-price meals may be submitted at any time during a school day. Children participating in the National School Lunch Program will not be overtly identified by the use of special tokens, special tickets, special serving lines, separate entrances, separate dining areas, or by any other means.

**Privacy Act Statement: National School Lunch Act (Section 9)** requires that, unless your child's Food Stamp, CalWORKs, KinGAP, or FDPIR case number is provided, you must include the social security number of the adult household member signing the application or indicate that the household member signing the application does not have a social security number. Provision of a social security number is not mandatory, but if a social security number is not given or an indication is not made that the signer does not have such a number, the application cannot be approved. The social security number may be used to identify the household member in carrying out efforts to verify the correctness of information stated on the application. These verification efforts may be carried out through program reviews, audits, and investigations and may include contacting employers to determine income, benefits, contacting the State's Employment Development offices to determine the amount of benefits received and checking the documentation produced by household members to prove the amount of income received. These efforts may result in a loss or reduction of benefits, administrative claims or legal actions if incorrect information is reported.

I certify that all of the information provided is true and correct and that all income is reported. I understand that this information is given in connection with the receipt of Federal funds, that school officials may verify the information on the application, and that deliberate misrepresentation of the information may subject me to prosecution under applicable State and Federal laws.

X \_\_\_\_\_ SS# \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of adult household member completing this form social security number; or write "none" if N/A

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Print name of adult signing this application

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_, CA ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION D. Children's Racial and Ethnic Identities:**

1. Mark one or more racial identities:

☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Black or African-American ☐ Asian ☐ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander ☐ White

2. Mark one ethnic identity: ☐ Of Hispanic or Latino origin ☐ Not of Hispanic or Latino origin

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